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Dr. Warren Weaver Director, Natural Sciences The Rockefeller Foundation 49 West 49th Street New York 20, New York

Dear Dr. Weaver:

Upon the recommendation of I. L. Baldwin, Director of the Wisconsin Agricultural Experiment Station, and with the endorsement of E. B. Fred, President of the University, I am transmitting to you herewith an application by Joshua Lederberg, Assistant Professor of Genetics, for a grant-in-aid of \$7500 for a three-year period beginning May 1, 1948, to be applied to the research project GENETICS OF BACTERIA being carried forward in the Department of Genetics. In connection with this application, Director Baldwin states:

"We have carefully reviewed this proposal here in the Agricultural Experiment Station. The proposed study is well outlined, deals with an important problem, and the leader is well qualified to prosecute work in the field. For these reasons we are pleased to endorse the application of Professor Lederberg."

Included with the application is a letter from Dr. Lederberg to you in further explanation of the manner in which it is proposed that the funds, if allotted, be used.

We shall appreciate your consideration of Dr. Lederberg's application. Will you please advise this office when action on it is taken.

Yours very truly,

A. W. Peterson, Director Business and Finance.

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CC: Dean I. L. Baldwin Professor R. A. Brink